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## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the communication from the Examiner mailed June 14, 2004. In that paper, the Examiner rejected the claims under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 6,661,667 issued to Shane R. Robbins et al. Applicant herewith files a terminal disclaimer in compliance with 37 CFR 1.321(c) to overcome the rejection. The terminal disclaimer is enclosed.

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In the event that the Examiner finds any remaining impediment to the prompt allowance of any of these claims which could be clarified in a telephone conference, the Examiner is respectfully urged to initiate the same with the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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